GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
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SCHOOLS IN CHANDIGARH
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Government schools in Chandigarh, Sector-wise;

(b) the area of the plot, number of students, number of teachers and other staff respectively in each of the schools;

(c) whether the students up to class-V are not provided furniture and have to sit on the floor;

(d) if so, whether there is any plan to eliminate this practice and provide the necessary furniture;

(e) whether the grounds in the schools are not maintained for sports etc.; and

(f) the amount spent on maintenance of the building, grounds and on horticulture work, respectively in each of the schools?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M.A.A. FATMI):

(a) As per information received from Chandigarh Admn. there are 104 Govt. Schools in UT of Chandigarh. Sector-wise details are given in the statement-I enclosed.

(b) The area of plot of each school is given in the enclosed statement-II, the total enrollment of each school is given in the statement-III enclosed and the number of teachers and other staff in each of the school is given in the statement-IV enclosed.

(c)The students of all Govt. Model Schools in Chandigarh have been provided furniture. However,75% of the students upto class V in govt. ordinary schools have been provided with furniture and the rest sit on tats.

(d) A provision of Rs. 45.00 lacs for the purchase of furniture for Primary Classes during the year 2004-2005 and Rs. 41,47,000/- during the year 2003-2004 was made in the Plan under Elementary Education.

(e) The grounds in all Govt. schools in Chandigarh are maintained by the Horticulture Department for Sports activities.

(f) A sum of Rs. 91,71,870/- has been spent on the maintenance of Govt. school buildings and Rs. 79,500/- for Horticulture work in these schools for the period from 1.4.2004 to 15.2.2005 as per enclosed statement-V. A sum of Rs.32,05,320/- has been spent on the maintenance of Public Health Services for these schools during this period as per the enclosed statement-VI.